CANDIDATE STATEMENTS BY OFFICE

GOVERNOR



- As the state's chief executive officer, oversees most state departments and agencies and appoints judges.
- Proposes new laws and approves or vetoes legislation.
- Prepares and submits the annual state budget.
- Mobilizes and directs state resources during emergencies.

ART OLIVIER

www.electArt.com

Libertarian Party

CUT SPENDING! California recalled the Governor three years ago when he proposed a \$96,000,000,000 budget. Now it's \$131,000,000,000 plus \$43,000,000,000 in bonds on the November ballot. NO BENEFITS FOR ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS. Giving free healthcare and education to illegal immigrants encourages more illegal immigration. California cannot afford it. END GRIDLOCK. Spend gasoline taxes and vehicle license fees on building more lanes and allow the construction of private toll roads for commercial trucks. Art Olivier cut taxes and improved services as Mayor and will do it again as our next Governor!

JANICE JORDAN

www.janicejordan.org

Peace and Freedom Party

Low-Cost Housing. Universal Health Care. Livable Wage. VOTE YOUR CONSCIENCE! NOT YOUR FEAR!

PETER MIGUEL CAMEJO

Green Party

1710 Broadway #122 Sacramento, CA 95818

(510) 587-0807 info@votecamejo.com www.votecamejo.com

You've heard the expression, "I would have to write a book." Well, I did. It's called: "California: Under Corporate Rule." Corporations control our electoral system, want to privatize our schools, name our sports fields, control our media, destroy our ecology, and promote wars of plunder. Most profitable corporations pay no state taxes in California. Ninety percent of our people on average have received no increase in inflation adjusted pay in 35 years and our real minimum wage has dropped dramatically while our economy more than doubled and corporate profits soared. My web site shows how a FAIR TAX can raise an additional \$25 billion for our budget, allowing us to dramatically increase education funding, begin a massive move to alternative energy, and modernize our infrastructure, while reducing most people's taxes. Immigrants actually help create jobs. Marriage must be an option for everyone. The death penalty, three strikes, and racial profiling must end. Our outdated, exclusionary, winner-take-all money-controlled electoral system has been universally rejected. We need public funding, proportional representation, and ranked choice voting, where people feel free to vote for the candidates they support and can hear all points of view. Please visit votecamejo.com to help us plan and execute these ground-breaking opportunities for positive change in California. Thank you for your support.

EDWARD C. NOONAN

American Independent Party

1606 Gold St. Marysville, CA 95901 (530) 743-6878 vote2006@ednoonan4gov.org www.ednoonan4gov.org

See my webpages: ednoonan4gov.org, http://www.aipca.org, http://www.constitutionparty.org

The order of the candidates is determined by random alphabet drawing. Statements on this page were supplied by the candidates and have not been checked for accuracy. Each statement was voluntarily submitted by the candidate and is printed at the expense of the candidate. Candidates who did not submit statements could otherwise be qualified to appear on the ballot.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR



- Assumes the office and duties of Governor in the case of impeachment, death, resignation, removal from office, or absence from the state.
- Serves as President of and presides over the State Senate and has a tie-breaking vote.
- Chairs the Economic Development Commission, is a member of the State Lands Commission, and sits on the boards of the California university systems.
- Serves as an ex-officio member of the California State World Trade Commission.

LYNNETTE SHAW

Libertarian Party

7336 Santa Monica #822 West Hollywood, CA 90046 (415) 209-3996 lynnette@voteshaw.info www.voteshaw.info

The war against patients and their physicians must stop. Medical cannabis has been legal for ten years, but the authorities continue to arrest caregivers, patients, and doctors. This is a waste of time, human resources, and taxpayers' money. My Marijuana Peace Plan has been in operation for nine years in Marin County. This program has removed many illegal drug dealers from our streets, protected patients, and improved the quality of the medicine. Please join with me and Willie Nelson to help save family farms with industrial hemp and to protect your medical rights. I am Lynnette Shaw, and I would appreciate your vote for Lt. Governor. www.ca.lp.org

DONNA J. WARREN

Green Party

P.O. Box 88808 Los Angeles, CA 90009 (213) 427-8519 ecottry@socal.rr.com www.donnawarren.com

Running with the Million Votes for Peace Campaign, in 1999, I sued the CIA for the crack cocaine infestation in South Central, and, in 2004, I helped coordinate Prop. 66 to amend California's Three Strikes Law. I will guide the Legislature to represent the people, not corporations and special interests. Don't be fuelish—stop voting for oil companies at the gas pump. Stop Global Warming, and keep California competitive in science/medical research. For my complete platform, see www.donnawarren.com.

STEWART A. ALEXANDER

Peace and Freedom Party

40485 Murrieta Hot Springs Rd., Ste. 149 Murrieta, CA 92563

(909) 223-2067 stewartalexander4paf@comcast.net www.salt-g.com

Working people need a greater voice in government.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR



TOM McCLINTOCK

Republican Party

1029 K Street, Suite 44 Sacramento, CA 95814

(916) 446-1246 info@tommcclintock.com www.HelpTom.com

A generation ago, California was a land of opportunity with low taxes, plentiful jobs, affordable housing, cheap electricity, and abundant clean water. Our children were secure in their homes and our families were secure in their property. We enjoyed the finest highway system in the world and the finest school system in the country. The only thing that has changed between then and now is bad public policy—and together we can fix that. During the recall election, I offered a comprehensive plan to restore California's quality of life, and I will tenaciously pursue these reforms as Lt. Governor. For 25 years I have fought to roll back the taxes that are crushing our families, to rein in the bureaucracies that are wasting our money, to reduce the regulations that are destroying our economy, to oppose the illegal immigration that is overwhelming our services, and to restore our long-neglected public works. I began the movement to abolish California's car tax that now saves an average family \$490 in annual DMV fees. I am spearheading the effort to stop government from seizing one citizen's property for the private gain of another. And, I continue to battle waste and fraud in Republican and Democratic administrations. Together, we can restore to our children the Golden State that our parents gave to us. Please visit my Web site at www.HelpTom.com to see my proposals and to help this grassroots campaign for California's future.

IOHN GARAMENDI

Democratic Party

P.O. Box 496 Sacramento, CA 95812 (916) 863-6881 info@garamendi.org www.garamendi.org

It's time we use the Lieutenant Governor's office as a forceful advocate for children, hardworking families, and retired Californians. That's my approach as Insurance Commissioner—protecting consumers, punishing fraud, and delivering results: Over \$1 billion in insurance rebates—\$22 billion in auto insurance savings—\$24 million in additional homeowner benefits to fire victims—\$46 million in insurance company fines. As Lieutenant Governor I will be the same powerful advocate—working for you to fully fund schools, helping small businesses thrive in the world marketplace, fighting to provide every Californian quality healthcare that values people before profits, and protecting women's rights. As a University of California Regent and State University Trustee, I'll be the guardian of higher education—promoting excellence in education, fostering research, and creating innovation. On the State Lands Commission, I'll take the same approach I used as President Clinton's Deputy Interior Secretary—protecting California's magnificent coast, parks, and natural resources. I'll address climate change by promoting conservation and alternative fuels. I oppose more oil drilling off our coasts and oppose excessive oil company profits. I'll fight to stop corporate polluters. I'll work with the Governor and Legislature to accomplish these goals. California's teachers, police, firefighters, Senator Feinstein, and Al Gore share my vision and respect my independence. They endorse my candidacy. I stand by my record as Insurance Commissioner, Deputy Interior Secretary, State Senator, Academic All-American at U.C. Berkeley, Harvard MBA, Peace Corps Volunteer, husband, and father. I respectfully request your vote. www.garamendi.org

SECRETARY OF STATE



- As the state's chief elections officer, administers and enforces election laws and keeps records of all campaign and lobbyist disclosure statements required under the Political Reform Act.
- Files official documents relating to corporations, trademarks, the Uniform Commercial Code, notaries public, and limited partnerships.
- Collects and preserves historically valuable papers and artifacts in the California State Archives.
- Serves as an ex-officio member of the California State World Trade Commission.

DEBRA BOWEN

Democratic Party

578 Washington Blvd. #409 Marina del Rey, CA 90292

(310) 823-3106 info@debrabowen.com www.debrabowen.com

California must never be like Florida or Ohio. Election results must be free from doubts about fraud and manipulation. As Chairwoman of the Senate Elections Committee, I'm fighting to make sure your vote is counted accurately and to end the domination of big money on elections. Your Secretary of State must bring integrity back to the electoral process. I fought to require a paper trail for electronic voting machines and to outlaw campaign contributions from voting machine manufacturers. Since my first day in public office, I've refused to accept gifts as an elected official, and I've pressed to limit the influence of special interest money. I've written bills requiring clear disclosure about who is paying to put initiative petitions on the ballot. I wrote the first proposal to allow voters to get vote-by-mail ballots automatically. I'm working to expand the Safe at Home program in the Secretary of State's office, which allows victims of domestic violence to keep their abusers from knowing where they live. I'm a fighter for consumer protection, privacy rights, open government, and choice. I led the nation by authoring a landmark measure to prevent your Social Security number from misuse and to protect you from identity theft. Senators Barbara Boxer and Dianne Feinstein, the National Organization for Women-California, California Nurses Association, California Federation of Teachers, and the Sierra Club have joined together to support me. Please join me in the fight to clean up campaigns and elections. I respectfully request your vote.

MARGIE AKIN

Peace and Freedom Party

20212 Harvard Way Riverside, CA 92507 (951) 787-0318 margieakin@hotmail.com www.akin2006.com

New technology should help provide better services for voters and improve voter turnout to strengthen democracy. Instead we get insecure and faulty voting systems. We need to end corruption and corporate influence throughout the election process.

FORREST HILL

Green Party

815 Washington Street, Suite 24 Oakland, CA 94607

(415) 839-7300 forrest@VoteForrest.org www.VoteForrest.org

California's electoral system needs a complete overhaul, not bandages! We must end gerrymandering and ensure all citizens are fully represented in government; Give citizens more choices with Instant Runoff Voting; Demand all votes are accurately counted and voting machines produce voter verified paper ballots; Increase voter turnout by allowing election day registration; End corruption by enacting new restrictions on all election-related contributions and implementing fair public financing laws.—I am a Financial Advisor with a Ph.D. from MIT in Marine Biology. I have the qualifications to fix our system and bring Free and Fair elections to California.

SECRETARY OF STATE



BRUCE McPHERSON

Republican Party

925 University Ave. Sacramento, CA 95825 www.mcpherson2006.com

In 2005, I was nominated to be Secretary of State by the Governor and unanimously confirmed by every Democrat and Republican in the Legislature. I have brought nonpartisanship to the Office, restored confidence in our elections process, and overseen two successful statewide elections. My most important mission is to preserve our basic freedom—the right to vote. When I became Secretary of State, the Office was in political, economic, and structural disarray. California was unprepared to comply with new federal voting requirements. I've worked tirelessly to bring integrity to the Office. I traveled to each of California's 58 counties and met with every elections official to effectively administer elections. Within weeks, I restored \$169 million in federal elections funds that had been frozen for nine months. California now leads the nation in modernizing voting technology with a voter registration database that reduces the potential for fraud. I've fought for campaign finance reform and support immediate public Internet disclosure of campaign contributions. To make the Office more efficient and responsive, we encourage people to do business online rather than in line. I have worked to improve California's international trade opportunities so California remains the 6th largest economy in the world. My positive record speaks for itself. I'm proud to be supported by the California Teachers Association, California Sheriffs Association, California Women's Leadership Association, California Small Business Association, California Farm Bureau, and a bipartisan group of elected officials. I respectfully request your vote for Secretary of State. Please visit www.mcpherson2006.com.

GLENN McMILLON, JR.

American Independent Party

14400 E. 14th St., Apt. 11 San Leandro, CA 94578

(510) 483-2845 mcmillon@alum.mit.edu

www.aipca.org

Pro-Life. Pro-Family. Pro-Enforcement. www.myspace.com/mcmillon2006. www.aipca.org.

GAIL K. LIGHTFOOT

Libertarian Party

P.O. Box 598 Pismo Beach, CA 93448 (877) 616-1776 SOSVoteLP@aol.com www.smartvoter.org

FULLY INFORM VOTERS.

CONTROLLER



- As the state's chief fiscal officer, acts as the state's accountant and bookkeeper of all public funds.
- Administers the state payroll system and unclaimed property laws.
- Serves on numerous boards and commissions including the Board of Equalization and the Board of Control.
- Conducts audits and reviews of state operations.

TONY STRICKLAND

Republican Party

P.O. Box 1371 Thousand Oaks, CA 91358 (805) 297-4529 tony@tonystrickland.com www.tonystrickland.com

The politicians are arguing about raising taxes, but I'm going to tell you the secret they don't want you to know. If we cut the waste, fraud, and corruption out of the bureaucracy—and required those applying for state programs to provide proof of citizenship—we could balance our budget, fix our roads, protect our neighborhoods, and pay our teachers what they deserve, without raising taxes. As your Controller, I'll audit the bloated LA Unified School District, and I'll see to it that students are learning to read, write, and speak English. Am I willing to fight for you? Absolutely. During the energy crisis, when the politicians were afraid to rock the boat, I sued Gray Davis over his secret contracts with the energy companies—and won. I've led the battle to eliminate the double taxation on gasoline. And when others were going along with multi-billion dollar budget deficits, I led the fight to restore accountability and common sense. I am endorsed by California's major taxpayer organizations because they know that I won't back down when your tax dollars are at stake. Waste hurts us all. It robs our classrooms, shortchanges our teachers, and leaves us all stranded in traffic. As your Controller, I'll take on the bureaucracy in every area of government, from welfare to the DMV to our public health system. You work hard for your money, and you have a right to have your tax dollars spent honestly. You can help by visiting www.TonyStrickland.com.

LAURA WELLS

Green Party

P.O. Box 16025 Oakland, CA 94610 info@LauraWells.org www.LauraWells.org

I now see more hope for California than I have for a long time. I see many people fed up and turning to positive action. As my contribution, I would like to serve as your State Controller. The Controller is the state's bookkeeper, the one who reports to the citizens who elected her exactly how their money is being managed. My over 20 years in financial systems—investments, pension funds, union dues accounting, real estate loans—prepare me for the job. My lifelong commitment to saner ways of living prepares me to ensure that California's budget is in line with California's values. Imagine a Controller who understands that a great environment and great economy work together, not in opposition. A Green Controller understands that crime prevention not only keeps the public safer than ever-expanding prisons, it also saves money we can use toward regaining our world-class educational system. In healthcare we can shift from exorbitant administrative costs, and worse and worse healthcare for fewer people, to healthcare for all at less cost. I support electoral reform, including ranked choice voting (instant runoff), to open up our elections, improve our democracy, and lower costs. For details of why I have hope, please see my website www.laurawells.org. This year, join the momentum toward real change.

CONTROLLER



(Continued)

JOHN CHIANG

Democratic Party

600 Playhouse Alley #504 Pasadena, CA 91101

(626) 535-9616 info@chiangforcalifornia.com www.chiangforcalifornia.com

California needs a Controller to slam shut corporate tax loopholes and insist that the oil and insurance companies pay their fair share. California needs a Controller to simplify taxes for middle class families and make it easy to calculate and pay taxes online. California needs a Controller to ensure our schools have the resources to prepare our children for a more competitive world. That's why I am running for State Controller. For 20 years I have fought for fair state tax and sound fiscal policies. After graduating with a degree in Finance and then a Law Degree from Georgetown, I worked as a policy advisor to the California State Controller's office. As a member and chair of the Board of Equalization and the State Franchise Tax Board I am a strong voice for taxpaying families and small businesses. I use my tax policy expertise to stand up to corporate lawyers and demand an end to special interest tax giveaways. I know how to audit and expose wasteful government spending to ensure our tax money is spent on vital services. The San Francisco Chronicle said that my experience gives me "a solid foundation to become what is essentially the state's chief financial officer." The Sacramento Bee called me "one of the finest young prospects the Democratic Party has produced in recent years." I will fight for full funding for quality schools. That's why I am endorsed by California's classroom teachers. For more information: www.ChiangforCalifornia.com

ELIZABETH CERVANTES BARRÓN 1720 Main Street

Peace and Freedom Party

Venice, CA 90291

(951) 787-0318 ebtlaloc@aol.com www.pfpboe.org

Raise taxes on the rich; lower taxes on workers.

DONNA TELLO

Libertarian Party

13446 Poway Road #202 Poway, CA 92064 donnatello4cacontroller@cox.net www.donnatello.da.ru

Control spending, not people. Protect taxpayers, not special interests.

TREASURER



- As the state's banker, manages the state's investments.
- Administers the sale of state bonds and notes and is the investment officer for most state funds.
- Chairs or serves on several commissions, most of which relate to the marketing of bonds.
- Pays out state funds when spent by the Controller and other state agencies.

MARIAN SMITHSON

Libertarian Party

(626) 919-1593 mariansway@earthlink.net

California needs leadership with fiscal responsibility. Vote NO on bond measures.

CLAUDE PARRISH

Republican Party

P.O. Box 2427 Palos Verdes, CA 90274 (213) 688-8862 parrishfortreasurer@gmail.com www.smartvoter.org/vote/Parrish

State bond interest payments are consuming an ever increasing portion of the state's budget. This puts pressure on the Legislature to increase all state taxes. Any increase in Corporate, personal income taxes, or sales taxes will cause a stall in the California economy and undoubtedly cause businesses to leave the State. The State is already too deep in debt! First, the State Treasurer must go before the Legislature to oppose all but the most vital or cost effective bond issues! Second, having held NASD Security licenses has given me an understanding of the financial markets. We need to eliminate dealing with the "Middle Men" from "Wall Street" that receive hundreds of millions of dollars in underwriting fees and instead have our bonds underwritten by allocation to California-based brokerage firms. Not only will the state save hundreds of millions of dollars, California will receive taxes from those California-based firms. Third, the Treasurer's office needs to be accessible to the public and run in a cost-effective, efficient manner. Here's why. For California Citizens, State Bonds are exempt from Federal and State personal income taxes; however, these bonds are not available to the average California citizen because brokerage firms do not offer them in amounts of less than \$10,000. I will institute a small investor program so that Californians with as little as \$100 can invest in these tax-exempt bonds. I seek your vote and have been endorsed by the Howard Jarvis Taxpayer Organization and many leading state legislators.

MEHUL M. THAKKER

Green Party

815 Washington St. #52 Oakland, CA 94607

mehul@votethakker.com http://www.VoteThakker.com

Corporate money should not buy political influence, so I don't take contributions from big business! We should protect our State pensions and invest our tax dollars to fund better schools, universal healthcare, more affordable housing, community development, and clean energy programs. We should forgive student loans so education hecomes a benefit and not a burden. Banks that hold California's money should stop predatory and environmentally destructive lending, and we should move our State's investments into community development banks and credit unions that support local economies. We can balance California's budget immediately if the top 1% of earners pay the same local and state tax rates as the poorest citizens in California. We must implement a fair policy of legalization for undocumented workers and ensure that all workers are paid a fair minimum wage, with inflation protection.—I believe our competitiveness in the world economy and ability to foster peace globally depends on our ability to chart a new course. Vote Thakker, and help me work for economic justice for all Californians.

ATTORNEY GENERAL



- As the state's chief law officer, ensures that the laws of the state are uniformly and adequately enforced.
- Heads the Department of Justice, which is responsible for providing state legal services and support for local law enforcement.
- Acts as the chief counsel in state litigation.
- Oversees law enforcement agencies, including District Attorneys and Sheriffs.

MICHAEL S. WYMAN

Green Party

P.O. Box 9380 San Rafael, CA 94912 (415) 785-3448 vote4mike@comcast.net www.votewyman.org

Most Californians prefer life imprisonment without parole to the death penalty. Most Californians oppose lengthy prison sentences for nonviolent offenders. Most Californians agree that the War on Drugs has been a complete failure. Most Californians think that their police have better things to do than arrest the terminally ill for using medical marijuana. Most Californians don't believe they should be spied upon by their own government. Most Californians want equal rights for immigrants, including the right to live and work here in America in peace. *I agree with them.* We need to put the justice back in the justice system. We do this by enforcing laws humanely and challenging the laws and policies that deny the people of California their rights. We need an attorney general who defends the people of California as energetically as we prosecute the violent offender. I will be that kind of Attorney General. I ask for your support. Thank You.

KENNETH A. WEISSMAN

Libertarian Party

8484 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 850 Beverly Hills, CA 90211-3222

(323) 655-4529 CalAG2006@yahoo.com www.ElectKenWeissman.com

I will fight for your rights. Absolutist on Second Amendment. Secure our borders NOW.

JACK HARRISON

Peace and Freedom Party

1312 Cornell Ave. Berkeley, CA 94702 (510) 527-9584 JackLHa@Pacbell.net www.jackharrison.org

Abolish the inhumane death penalty. Decriminalize marijuana. Expand parole and diversion services. Eliminate the disastrous "three strikes" sentencing. Use State funds for people's needs. Prosecute the corporate criminals and those who defile our environment.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER



- Oversees and directs all functions of the Department of Insurance.
- Licenses, regulates, and examines insurance companies.
- Answers public questions and complaints regarding the insurance industry.
- Enforces the laws of the California Insurance Code and adopts regulations to implement the laws.

TOM CONDIT

Peace and Freedom Party

2124 Kittredge St. #174 Berkeley, CA 94704

(510) 845-4360 condit@peaceandfreedom.org www.tomcondit.org

Insurance company profits soar, but millions don't have health care or real protection against accident and disaster. While insurance companies pour money into "tort reform" schemes to deprive ordinary people of legal assistance, they spend billions on their own lawyers to evade paying claims. The bipartisan "reforms" of workers' compensation let insurance companies endlessly delay needed medical treatment for injured workers by second-guessing doctors and pharmacists. They make more in profits on workers' compensation than they pay for medical care. I advocate putting human need before insurance company profits. Let's publicly fund and manage a single system of quality health care for all, a state basic auto liability plan, and a single workers' compensation fund—all without insurance company profits, lawyers, or red tape. I will fight discrimination based on race, sex, age, or geography.

LARRY CAFIERO

Green Party

P.O. Box 203

Ben Lomond, CA 95005-0203

(831) 438-1401

larry4inscomm@earthlink.net http://www.votecafiero.com

Candidate statements, once free, now cost \$20 per word. Fight pay-to-play government—Vote Green. My statement: http://www.votecafiero.com/statement

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION



Serves on the Board of Equalization, California's elected tax commission, a body that:

- Oversees the administration of over two dozen tax and fee programs including sales and use, cigarette and tobacco, alcohol, and fuels tax.
- Serves as the appellate body for California income and franchise tax cases.
- Oversees the administration of property tax statewide.

DISTRICT 1

BETTY T. YEE

601 Van Ness Avenue #E3-438 San Francisco, CA 94102 www.BettyYee2006.com

Democratic Party

All Californians deserve to be treated fairly by their government. During the time I have served on the Board of Equalization, my actions and votes on all tax matters that have come before the Board demonstrate a strong commitment to fairness and honesty. My experience in making careful decisions with your tax dollars, my strong sense of fairness in interpreting California's tax laws, and my unblemished record of integrity and honesty make me your best choice to continue serving and providing leadership as the First District Member on the Board of Equalization. I will oppose special tax breaks for the wealthy. I will be a voice for all working persons. As your guardian of the state's revenues, my objective is to ensure California has the resources needed to provide a bright future and opportunities for all of us and for generations to come—this means quality schools in every community, access to health care for every Californian, a pristine natural environment, affordable housing, adequate transportation systems, and safe neighborhoods. I am proud to have earned the endorsements of a broad array of organizations that represent the interests of teachers, nurses, firefighters, peace officers, workers, women, students, and taxpayers—all of whom recognize my financial expertise and commitment to protecting the interests of hardworking Californians. I would be honored to continue serving you on the Board of Equalization.

DISTRICT 2

BILL LEONARD

Republican Party

P.O. Box 277090 Sacramento, CA 95827 (916) 441-1043 Ext. 2 leonard@billleonard.org www.billleonard.org

California is a terrific place to live, but we need leaders who are not afraid to stand up and fight for the rights of taxpayers. As a Member of the State Board of Equalization—the only elected office in America with the job of protecting the rights of taxpayers—I have worked hard to hold government accountable. The State Board of Equalization is an independently elected tax panel that makes the final decision in disputes between taxpayers and government bureaucrats. Taxpayers deserve to have an advocate fighting for their interests—and that is what I have done as a Member of the State Board of Equalization. Illegal immigrants are among those who do not pay their fair share of taxes yet get their full share of government benefits. Not enough is being done to make sure that illegal aliens pay all the taxes they owe. It is not fair that law-abiding California families and business owners have to pay all their taxes and still get hit by government investigators when they are trying to comply with California's complex and excessive tax laws while illegal immigration laws go unenforced. We can do better. Please visit my website (www.billeonard.org) to learn more about the State Board of Equalization and my record as an advocate for taxpayers. I will continue to do all I can to make sure government is held accountable for how it spends your hard-earned tax dollars. I would be honored to have your vote on November 7th.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

 \star \star (Continued)

DISTRICT 2 (continued)

TIM RABOY P.O. Box 132 (209) 251-9695 Galt, CA 95632 info@timraboy.com Democratic Party www.timraboy.com

I am a Supervising Investigator for the Board of Equalization (BOE), Investigations Division, fourteen-year BOE employee, and an Elected City Councilmember. Please visit www.timraboy.com.

DISTRICT 3

MICHELLE STEEL 27520 Hawthorne Blvd. #270 (310) 971-5865 Palos Verdes, CA 90274 info@steelforboe.com Republican Party www.steelforboe.com

As a fiscal conservative, I have been proud to serve as Chief Deputy to our current Member of the Board of Equalization. Now that the incumbent is retiring, it is vital that taxpayers have another fiscal watchdog to take his place. I will work to simplify tax rules so that businesses and individuals will not be constantly victimized by a bureaucracy that frequently oversteps its authority. As a rock-solid fiscal conservative, I will be the Taxpayer's Advocate against the bureaucracy. And, believe me, we need voices to speak out and defend taxpayers! I have witnessed firsthand how the taxing agencies assume taxpayers are guilty until proven innocent. And, I believe that approach is un-American. My philosophy is that every hearing should begin with the presumption that the taxpayer is innocent. As a businesswoman, wife, and mother, I know how tough it can be to make ends meet. I believe the hardworking families of California deserve an Advocate who will stand with them against abusive government bureaucracies. As a board member of the California World Trade Commission, I also became convinced that our high California taxes are harming our competitiveness in the world economy. I am an experienced, fiscally conservative professional who will not need on-the-job training, because I've already been on the job defending taxpayers. I would be honored to have your support. For any questions, please contact me at www.steelforboe.com.

DISTRICT 4

GLEN FORSCH (818) 415-1199 2806 Scott Road GlenForsch2000@aol.com Burbank, CA 91504 Republican Party www.GlenForschForBOE.com

Hi, I'm Glen Forsch. I am running for the Board of Equalization, Fourth District. I know how difficult it is to earn a living and pay our bills in California. I know it's a great RESPONSIBILITY TO COLLECT THE TAXPAYER'S MONEY. I join all REPUBLICANS, DEMOCRATS, INDEPENDENTS, AND ALL OTHER PARTIES, who want California TAXPAYERS and BUSINESSES to be Treated Fairly. I will do what it takes to get rid of the INHERITANCE TAX. I do not want the State Government to Tax and Take Your Inheritance. I will not stand by and let you, your parents, or your children be TAXED INTO POVERTY. Gather your Family, Friends, and Neighbors to VOTE FOR GLEN FORSCH.